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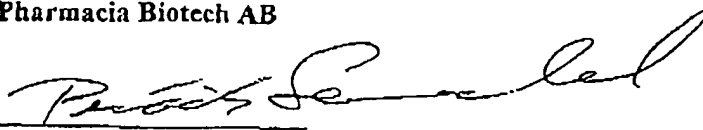
A Hepatitis C related Patent Applications:

1. USSN 08/93 1855: Methods and Systems for producing recombinant viral antigens, Zebedee et al. Cont. Of USSN 08/272,275. Welch & Katz ('W&K') designation 0025P and USSN 08/563,732 W&K designation 16P. DivII.
2. JP 3-518333, OPG 06-500925: 'Non-A, Non-B Hepatitis Virus Antigen, Diagnostic Methods and Vaccines' Zebedee et al. (W&K designation 0029P).
3. AU 89041/91 (Now AU673135): 'Non-A, Non-B Hepatitis Virus Antigen, Diagnostic Methods and Vaccines', Zebedee et al. (W&K designation 0029P).
4. CA 2, 090,335: 'Non-A, Non-B Hepatitis Virus Antigen, Diagnostic Methods and Vaccines', Zebedee et al. (W&K designation 0029P)
5. SKO No. 93-700552 'Non-A, Non-B Hepatitis Virus Antigen, Diagnostic Methods and Vaccines', Zebedee et al. (W&K designation 0029P).
6. EPO No. 91 92 0090. 8-2110-PCT US9106037 Non-A, Non-B Hepatitis Virus Antigen Diagnostic Methods and Vaccines. Zebedee et al. (W&K Designation PHA 0029P New York Blood Center Inc. and Pharmacia Genetic Engineering Inc.).

B. HIV related Patent Applications

1. USSN 07/344,237 (now USP 5, 204,259): "Methods and Systems of Producing HIV Antigens". Helting et al. (W&K designation 0016P)
2. USSN 08/049,531 (now USP 5,470,720): "HIV Antibody Assays Comprising p24-gp41 Chimeric Antigens" Helting et al. (W&K designation 0016).
3. USSN 08/563,732: "HIV Antibody Assays Comprising p24-gp41 Chimeric Antigens" Helting et al. (W&K designation 16p, Div. II)
4. EP 0343132 (granted on August 14, 1994: "HIV Antibody Assays Comprising p24-gp41 Chimeric Antigens". Helting et al. (W&K designation 0016P).
5. JP 1-510732: "Methods and Systems for Producing HIV Antigens". Helting et al. (W&K designation 0016P).

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DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are stated below next to my name.

I believe that I am an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter that is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled METHOD AND SYSTEMS FOR PRODUCING RECOMBINANT VIRAL ANTIGENS, the specification of which was filed on September 16, 1997 as Application Serial No. 08/931,855.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination and patentability of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56(a).

PRIOR FOREIGN APPLICATION(S)

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, Section 119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

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PRIOR UNITED STATES APPLICATION(S)

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, Section 120 of any United States Application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States Application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, Section 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose

material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56(a) which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national of PCT international filing date of this application:

APPLICATION	FILING DATE	STATUS
08/563,733	28 Nov. 1995	Abandoned
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08/344,237	26 April 1989	Patent 5,204,259
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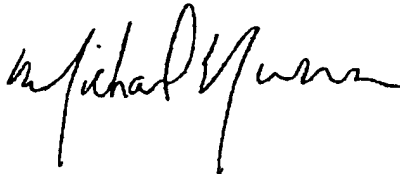
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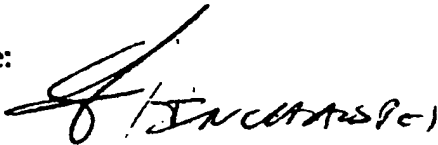
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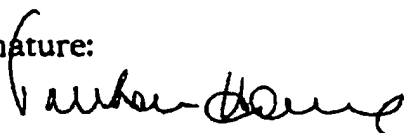
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